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MEMORANDUM FOR:
Acting Assistant Director/Central Reference

SUBJECT:

CIA-ATIC Agreement

- 1. Reference is made to our discussions concerning the memorandum to the DDCI submitting the proposed CIA-ATIC Agreement for approval. In accordance with our conversations, we did not have a meeting of the minds on the substance of this memorandum as set forth under the heading "DISCUSSION" covering page 2 through page 4 inclusive of "CONCLUSIONS". Originally it was our belief that this memorandum simply proposed acceptance of the CIA-ATIC Agreement, however, in view of the desire to have a dissemination policy statement covering the intelligence community where contractual relationships are involved, the substance of the proposed memorandum dated 9 December is at some variance with the principles and controls that we feel are appropriate.
- 2. Accordingly, there is attached a draft substitute for pages 2, 3 and 4 of the 9 December memorandum which we feel represents as security policy the appropriate basis upon which problems of this nature can be reviewed and acted upon by the Agency components concerned with dissemination to other government agencies. This Office feels that this approach is timely in view of several investigations of unauthorized disclosures of information which appear to involve the field of contractual services by other departments
- 3. It is recommended that the attached draft be substituted in the memorandum of 9 December for appropriate coordination and forwarding to the DDCL. If you have any questions, please advise so that this problem can be resolved.

Deputy Director of Security

Attachment Draft

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